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Remarks

Reconsideration of the rejection of the present application under 35 USC 102(b) is hereby requested.

Claims 1, 2 and 4 – 6 stand rejected under 35 USC 102 (b), as being anticipated by the '430 reference to Anderson et al.

Independent claim 1 has been amended to now more clearly recite the invention. Specifically, claim 1 has been amended to state that the chamber has a soft, pinchably-distortable wedging-member arrangement loosely disposed within the longitudinal chamber, that chamber arranged to receive a poster therein for pinched securement between the soft, pinchably-distortable wedging-member arrangement and the support wall. The wedging members (#25 in the Anderson et al reference) are not distortable, see column 3, lines 64-65: ...”wedging roller 25 as apparent from fig.3. without distortion of the roller 25...”, (emphasis added). The “spacer” #28 is made of firm but resilient plastic, taking no part in the actual wedging function. Therefore, it is believed that the Examiner is in error in stating that the both of the Anderson et al spacers and wedging links (25,28) are resilient. Clearly, this is not the case. The “wedging” links #25 themselves, are not so indicated.

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Besides, if those thin walled wedging rollers 25 of Anderson et al were resilient, they would not respond well to movement of the rigid connecting rod 26. Therefore, the Andersen et al reference can neither suggest, have, nor teach a soft, resilient wedging member as in Applicants' invention.

A substitute Specification, not including the claims, is also enclosed herewith, as requested by the Examiner, including the missing page 4. This substitute specification contains no new matter.

The claims are therefore believed to have been amended to now overcome the rejection under 35 USC 102(b). As such, they are believed to be allowable. Such action is now solicited and passage to allowance is requested. Should the Examiner believe that any issue remains unresolved, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned for a discussion of same.

Respectfully submitted,



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